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THE WATER BILL.

The action taken by the House yesterday he Water Company's bill is, we think, a set one, and one which the inhabitants rstain. The Water Company want not Co. exclusive right to lay down water noisehin the city, but the exclusive not fill water. The House was willing

betwithe exclusive privilege of laying "te.pes, but refused to grant any moor in selling water. It was said during discussion that the company would rethat such will not be the case. So long a the exclusive privilege to lay pipes within the city is granted it virtually precludes the possibility of another water company starting nd beyond this protection we cannot see who any company could want. The only competition that could arise would be from a few isolated draymen, and if the company canno bring water from Spring Ridge in pipes cheaper than these men can bring it in drays they do not deserve any privilege at all. Se ach for the company's side of the question When we come to look, however, at the public interest, it is clearly the duty of the House to see that an article so necessary t our existence as water should be as untrammelled as the air we breathe. To place the community at the mercy of any company for the supply of water for never so short a term would be to do probably a most serious injury to the inhabitants. The source from which the Water Company gets its supply may prove ample for all the demands that may be made upon it for some years to come, c it may give out during any dry season; there is no certainty about it, beyond the fac that it has hitherto managed to supply the bare necessities of the inhabitants It has never, or at least the water-carrier have never, during the portions of the year most remarkable for drouth, show the capacity to supply the inhabitants with as much good water as they would desire. Oftentimes, and to the injury of the public health, families have not been able to obtain quantities sufficient for ordinary purposes marks yesterday, said that the calcu lation was that an average of only five gallons a day could be supplie to each person throughout the year; while, however, this might be the average for the whole year, we question very much whether five gallons could be supplied to each person per day during the driest part of the summer or autumn. And it is one peculiar drawback in the supply of water to have an increases demand made upon it at the very time when it is at its lowest ebb. The warmer and dryer the weather the more necessary is it to have a large supply-nature craves for itbut nature at the same time dries up the

pond and exposes the muddy bottom of the eservoir. It is necessary therefore that we should, in seasons of excessive drouth, have some reserve to fall back upon, and until the water company shall have an unlimited supply from some of the lakes in the vicinity of Victoria, it is but right that persons own ing wells or land on which water can be obtained, should have the privilege of adding to the public supply. Whatever arrangement the company contemplated making with regard to obtaining iron pipes supply, we are sure the action of the House yesterday cannot in any way effect it. They have virtually all the power they sought, if they are disposed to sell cheaply; if however any part of their schedule is higher, and some families assert that it is, than the prices at present charged, they cannot certainly object to the drayman endeavoring to supply these cases of increased rates. The fact is the clause throwing open the selling of water to all is the safety-valve; when the pressure on the public purse becomes to great, the independent waterman comes forward and relieves it; when the scale of prices goes down, then the waterman is obliged to put up his horse and follow some more remunerative vocation. It rests, therefore, with the company, as we have already said, whether they are to have an exclusive monopoly or not. If they sell as good water as can be got from other sources cheaper than can be obtained from such sources, and if have to all intents and purposes a complete monopoly-a monopoly which, however, will have fulfilled all the conditions that can be exacted from persons holding exclusive rights. If, however, on the other hand, the company can not supply every portion of our population as cheaply as can be done by the drays, then they themselves must admit is would be an injustice to the inhabitants to grant such powers as they have asked. As

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NOTICE.

THE VICTORIA PRICES CURRENT

DANIEL LINDSAY,
Victoria, 12th February, 1866. 1e24 NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. MR. EDWARD COREN IS NOT IN my employment, either as Purchaser of Purs or in any other capacity; and has not been since he first day of January, instant, and his authority of the control of the control of the control of the late.

FRANCIS G. BURK E. San Francisco, January 28, 1866. a 23 1m ESTATE OF W. M. SEARBY.

NOTICE. A LL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the abovenamed estate, are requested forward particulars of the same to the under greed, on or before the 12th day of May next, on the same to the desired in the same to the same

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H.M.S. ALERT. Esquimalt, 11th April, 1866.

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Dated Head Telegraph Office, New Westminster 9th January, A. D., 1868.

EDMUND CONWAY, al3

Assistant Engineer.

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TAKE NOTICE THAT BY DEED DATED the Thirtieth Day of October, A.D. 1863 (a the Thirtieth Day of October, A.D. 1893 (a copy of which said Deed has been duly flied, JOSEPH SPEATT and JOHN KREIMLER assigned certain personal property in their Foundary in the City of Victoria to Sir James Douglas, K.C.B., as security for the payment of certain anneys therein mentioned, and that the said Joseph Spratt and John Kreimler have delivered up possession of the said property to Mr. J. G. Nortis, who now helds possession of the aame on behalf of the said Sir James Douglas. Dated at Victoria this 11th day of April, A.D. 1866. DRAKE & JACKSON, Solicitor for Sir James Douglas. ap12

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Victoria, Attorney at Law, and he having
been duly declared a bankrupt, is hereby releagure. Chief Justice of the Court of Bankruptcy, on Wednesday, the sixteenth day of May
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tion and Langley streets, consisting of Weatherboard House of eight rooms, hard and papered throughout, Verandah above

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Intending to leave for France, offers for sale HIS STOCK OF GROCERIES To any one willing to lease his

For any number of years, to suit the purchaser. The premises are situated on the corner of Yates and Broad streets, and contain a store and eight comes, four of which are rented for \$20 per moint. The location is one of the best in Victoria for For particulars, apply to

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Victoria, V. J., 31st March, 1866.

GENERAL ABSTRACT shewing the Average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Colon ei Vancouver island and its dependencies of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, take from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter from 30th December, 1866, to 31st March, 186 LIABILITIES. AMOUNT. TOTALS. ANSETS.

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I, John Grant Shepherd do hereby declare to the best of my knowledge and belief that the forcoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Ascets and Idabilities within this 20lony of the above Bank during the period specified, and that he same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1861."

Declared before meat Victoria, V. I., this 4th day of April, 1856.

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Government Street.

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EDW'D R. THOMAS,

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TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

EDGAR MARVIN, J. ROBERTSON STEWART, The animals and one wagon can be seen at Coe's anoh, on the Fraser; also one wagon at the Pemerton House, in charge of Mr. Simes.
The teams are known as "THE SMITH TEAMS., April 13th. 1863.

AUCTIONEERS,

Fort Street, next Wharf VICTORIA, V. I. Cash advanced on Merchandise, to any

We beg to call the attention of merchants and consumers to the subject. All the prominent business houses who deal in flour keep on hand our brands, and it is, therefore, for their interest it join us in tracing out this artifice; il it has really been perpetrated. We shall be very grateful it them, and all our patrons, for such aid as they may affore in discovering the facts in the matter.

Respectfully, HORACE DAVIS & CO.

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of CRAIGELOWER, in the vicinity of Eliwitoting with Steam Flour Mill, Data Liumeal and Threshing Mills, Oatneal Kiln, Bakery,
Ovens and Machinery complete, an excellent
Dwelling Houses (to be let separately if desired).
Servants' Houses, Barn, Stables, Smithy, Carpenter's Shop, etc., etc.
The property is beautifully situated on the Victoria Arm, and near Esquimalt harbor.

BRICK BUILDING, 30x16, containing four rooms, adjoining the Bank of British Columbia and facing on Bastion street.

The above can be leased together or separately, and if purchased \$6000 can remain on mortgage for three years at 1½ per cent interest, Lowest price \$9,500.

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A FIRST-CLASS GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINE, in a hardsome Mahog-any case, quite new and in perfect of der. m21

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For Sale or Hire. A SWEET TONED KIRKMAN'S COT-

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TWO HORSES, BUGGY, DOUBLE AND Single Harness, will be disposed of Cheap, Separately or logether.

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CPLENDID LARGE STORES MAY be had in Carawell's Block, corner of Fort and Langley streets, at from \$10 a month upward. All the Stores in the Block may be let except one, which is now let at \$45 per month. Apply to

A RAISE! Mons. P. CORBINIERE,

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And are prepared to Convey Freight or Passenger storage and a person to take charge at Savana For Freight or passage apply to BUIE BROTHERS, Lytton.

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a2 |3m d&w January 25th, 1866 Engines, Boilers, &c.,

E. T. STEEN,
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Money on bond and mortgage to loan, in sums to suit the demands.

Cenveyances of every description done at reason able rates. IMPERIAL. CAMELIA. Besides light pressed Naturall caf of every de-scription. Also, by every steamer, invoices of GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS, in bead or duty poid

THE COACHES OF THES LINE Will now run regularily, leaving Yale, B. C.,

HAS REPROVED HIS STORE FOR SAVANA'S FERRY, building next to the Knierprise Saloon on Government street, and nearly opposite the St. Nicholas all (Big Bend Route,) until the completion of the road, when they will go to Savana's Ferry. The Coach for Cariboo will leave Yale on Mon-

> ALBION IRON WORKS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, "FHAT I the Iron Foundry Business in all its branches will be carried on as usual at the ALBHON IRON WORKS, Store street, Victoria, V. I., under the management of SPRATI AND KRIEMLER, as

> Trustees on behalf of the Creditors of Spratt & Kriemler. al3 lm DANIEL SCOTT & CO.

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REFERENCE-Hon U. Finlayson, of H. B. Co., and Lloyd's Agent.

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AUCTION SALES THIS DAY. DANIEL SCOTT & CO. will sell at their rooms Fort street near Wharf, at 11 o'clock, an assortment of Flowers, comprising Roses, Goraniums, Cincrarias, Calceolarias, Hydrangeas, Pansies, Polyanthuses, Acacias, Honeysuckles

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER-The steamer Eu terprise sails to-day at 10 a.m.

FOR NANAING .- The steamer Sir James Doug MARINE ENTELLIGENCE.

ENTERED. May 7—Slp Alarm, Hollins, Nanaimo Slp Lady Franklin, Pritchard, San Juan Slp Ocean Queen, Watkins, San Juan Schr Alpha, George, Nanaimo Brig Franklin Adams, Burr, San Francisco Stmr Enterprise, Swansen, New Westminste Slp Alexis, Odin, New Westminster

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May 7—Schr Annie, Rivin, Suoko
Schr Nor'wester, Whitford, Port Angelos
Slp Alexis, Odin, New Westminster
Stmr Enterprise, Swanson, New Westminster
Slp Ocean Queen, Watkins, San Juan

In this city, on the 7th instant, the wife of J. M. Sparrow, Esq., of a daughter. In this city, on the 7th May, the wife of J. Swainson Willis, Esq., of a daughter.

A SMALL PARTY-The Hon. Colonial Sec. retary remarked yesterday in the Legislative Council that a "small party were making a noise for tariff." The Hon. gentleman was not here we believe when the election contest between the advocates of "free port" and "tariff" took place, or he would not have cast such a slur upon three fourths of the in-habitants. No noise has been made by the upholders of a discriminating tariff system, as they have no wish to see the fiscal system of the colony disturbed pending the settle-ment of the Union Question, but Mr. Young had much better withhold his strictures on a had much deter withhold his strictures on a large and intelligent portion of the community until he learns at the next general election the current of public feeling on this subject. He will then be enabled to form a better estimate of the dimensions of the "small noisy party."

LIQUOR SELLING-Mahomet Hassam and Tom, two East Indians, were charged in the police court yesterday, the one with supplying and the other with permitting the supply of liquor to Indians. Mr. Bishop defended the prisoners. Officers McAdam and Abson proved that the prisoner Mahomet supplied the Indian woman with a bottle of wine, receiving in payment a marked half dollar coin, which they found on his person. He had been cautioned not to commit the offence the day before. The police gave Hassam the character of being a confirmed which realize Market and the confirmed which realize Market and the character of the confirmed which realize Market and the character of the confirmed which realize Market and the character of the confirmed which realize the character of the chara whisky seller. Mr. Bishop contended that there was no proof of the act, the officers not baying witnessed it, and further that wine could not be construed as spirituous liquor. The magistrate overruled the objection, but reserved Mahomet two days for sentence.—Tom was discharged.

KICKED OUT .- The Ways and Means bills passed by the House of Assembly after due consideration and discussion, and which occupied their attention for days consecutively, were one after the other unceremo niously kicked out of the Legislative Council yesterday in the course of a couple of hours. The least important of all being the only one

A DISTANT CHAT .- On Thursday evening last the operators at San Francisco and this place conversed freely with one another without interruption. Pretty " tall talking' considering the nature of much of the country through which the wire passes.

REVISION OF VOTERS-The Court for the revision of voters for the year 1866 for Victoria District, Esquimalt Town and District, will be held on Saturday the 12th inst. at the hours and places fixed in the Revisor's

PROMPT PAYMENT- We understand that schooner Alpha on Saturday were all paid up in full yesterday, to the number of 30, amounting to upwards of \$4000.

FLOWER SALE-Messis. Daniel Scott & Co. will sell to-day some beautiful flowering plants from the nursery garden of Mr. Clayton. They are well worth the attention of

EARLY CLOSING .- The principle drapery

THE ENTERPRISE CONCERT ROOMS-Mr. G. Lawson has become the proprietor of this

FELL & Co .- Are prepared to supply miners and travelers with every description of groceries and provisions put up in conof groceries and provisions put up in con-venient sized packages for transmission to any part of this or the sister Colony, at the lowest Free Port prices. Particular atten-tion is paid to the selection of goods for the Big Bend and Bridge River markets, and parties desiring to procure supplies for those mines may rely upon getting a superior article at our store. Coffee reasted and pre-pared on an improved principle; and Snices. pared on an improved principle; and Spice guaranteed free from adulteration, may had in any desired quantity. Fell & Co., Coffee and Spice Merchants and Family Grocers, Yates street, Victoria V. I. *

NEW WESTMINSTER .- Miners and others going to Big Bend or Bridge River will find Hicks' Hotel (which is now kept by W. E Stein, formerly of the Hot Springs.) one of the best and cleanest houses in the city.—
Meals and Beds at 50 cents each, and Drinks 12½ cents. *3m

CAUTION TO MINERS GOING TO BIG BEND -No one should start for these mines with out being quite sure that his teeth are in good order. F. W. Cave, Dentist, Trounce Alley, opposite the Colonist office, is still practising his profession at English prices.

PRINCE OF WALES .- Oxford Hats, received per "Dominga" from Townend & Co., London.—A fine invoice of the above very stylish and fashionable Hats.—ADAMS, Pioneer Hatter, Government street and Trounce alley.

GABRIEL ON THE LOSS AND RESTORATION OF THE TEETH.—The above is issued by Messrs, Garrier, the eminent London dentists, and as it is written by men who have a high standing in their profestion, the work is well worthy the perusal of all who value the preservation of their teeth and wish to guard against the many and tormenting evils to which those useful members are subject. Many valuable hints are given throughout the book as to the various means of preserving the teeth and gums in a leathy condition, and of arresting in many case per members and the progress of decay which may have already set in. The little work is evidently written by men of long experience in their profession, and who are thorough masters of their subject, and who are thorough masters of their subject. have already set in. The little work is evidently written by men of long experience in their profession, and who are thorough masters of the'r sublect, and as such may be honestly recommended. Extract from the Monas Herald, January 2nd, 1864. As may be seen by our advertising columns, Mesars. Gabriel supply Teeth on their patented system, irrespective of distance or climate.

THE BRITISH COLONIST By Glectric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE BRITISH COLONIST.

San Francisco, May 7—Line down cast of Salt Lake. No news received to-day. E. A. Swain, one of the Salvador pirates, has been pardoned by President Johnson. He was released from the penitentiary on

Sturday.

The U. S. Grand Jury have made their report presenting a number of indituments, and condemning the manner—

[Here the line suddenly gave out.]

Great news from Big Bend Rich Strike on Clemens Creek.

TWO NEW CREEKS STRUCK.

Nine Dollars to the Pan!

New Westminster, Monday, May, 5:30 p. m.—The latest news from the Big Bend mines is to the 1st. New diggings have been struck on Clemens Creek and \$9 to the

pan taken out.

The snow is too soft on the mountains yet for packing with animals, and Indians had to be employed to pack.

Freight 60 cents A great reduction has taken place

prices of provisions at the head of the lake in consequence of large amounts arriving which it is impossible to get packed into the mines. Flour at Seymour is 16c; in the

mines, 40c.

Building is going on briskly at Seymour.
Fourteen boats arrived at Gold Creek up
the Columbia river one day with men and
provisions. Hundreds of boats are reported
on their way up the Columbia with miners
and provisions.

The steamer Forty-Nine had arrived at
the head of Arrow lake on the 15th ult. with
250 miners. The passengers were landed
and the boat returned for more.

The claim struck on Clemens creek is said

The claim struck on Clemens creek is said be worth \$10,000. The H. B. Co.'s steamer Marten is expected be launched on the 10th inst.

Two new gold bearing creeks, tributaries of French creek, have been discovered.
The greatest confidence in these mines is now felt here.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Monday, May 7.

Speaker took his seat at 1:20 p.m. Present—Messis. DeCosmos, Powell, McClure, Young, Tolmie, Trimble, Dickson, Ash, Carswell.

VOLUNTEER BILL. This bill came up for second reading.

Mr. McClure opposed the reading as he looked upon the measure as a money bill.

Mr. DeCosmos thought in that case it

should rest where it was,

The Speaker pronounced it a money bill but asked the House to take some steps with egard to it.

Mr. McClure moved in order to maintain

Mr. McClure moved in order to maintain the privileges of the House that it be thrown out. Any hon, member could then bring forward the same measure.

Dr. Tolmie enquired if the bill could not be modified?

The Speaker said the same bill might be atroduced again. The second reading was then put and lost,

whereupon
Mr. Young gave notice that he would inroduce a Volunteer Bill.

DISTRICT COURTS BILL.

The amendments of the Council to this The amendments of the Council to this bill came up on the order of the day.

Mr. DeCosmos thought that the prohibition of expenses for professional services as against party and party in the small debts courts should be insisted on, and if any solicitor was employed in a suit in such court the party thinking it necessary to employ him should himself bear the expense and not saddle the other party with it. The gratuitous services might be wrongly interparticular than the same of the content of the professions of the content of the country with it. gratuitous services might be wrongly inter-

Mr. Young suggested the addition of the words "without fees" as a means of over-

words "without rees coming the objection.

Dr. Tolmie advocated the recovery of Dr. Tolmie advocated the recovery of small debts with least possible outlay. He could not understand the object of the Council's amendment and boped the House would not surrender the position it had taken.

The Speaker—Well, what's to be done; either the Council or the House must maintain its existing.

the workmen who came down from the Queen tain its position.

Charlette Coal Mining Co. Works by the On motion of Dr. Tolmic it was agreed

that the House should ask for a conference with the Council on the bill, and Messrs. McClure, Young and Tolinie were appointed to confer with the Council. INVESTMENT AND LOAN BILL

House went into Committee on this bill or. Trimble in the chair. The clauses that were held over from the last day were passed with some amendments, and the measure was finally adopted by the

Committee. WATER WORKS BILL.

establishments in the city have agreed to close early on Saturdays during the summer, to enable their employes to enjoy a half water in the city of Victoria and to lay pipes

derable relief.

Dr. Tolmie thought it would be a danerous monopoly to grant the exclusive ght to sell. The House should be very areful in granting exclusive rights to any ompany. He would, however, support the proposition of the hon, member who had

just sat down.

Mr. Young moved that the word "exclusive" be struck out altogether.

Dr. Helmcken did not believe in granting the powers asked by the Company, but was prot averse to giving them the exclusive right to lay down pipes.

Dr. Dickson was in favor of giving the Company explusive powers—otherwise the

shown the House by the Water Company to lead members to believe that a sufficient supply of good water could be relied one. Much as he was against granting monopsupply of good water could be relied one. Much as he was against granting monopolies he would be willing to give the Company the privileges asked if they could haveiven proper guarantees about the purity of the water and the supply. When the Spring Ridge water gave out in the summer months the company were obliged to take their supply from a swamp known as Harris's pood. This swamp received the drainage of the contiguous slaughter-house. There was another slaughter-house within tweive to fifteen feat from the ditch which carries water into en from the ditch which carries water into feet from the ditch which carries water into the large reservoir. This reservoir is nothing more nor less than a swamp, in which willows, alders and vegetable matter abound. He could by a couple of hours let the whole of the water out — a thing that might be done any day by a person who might have a gradge against the Company. He thought it better to leave things as they were. The Company had stated they would not accept any material amendment in the first clause, and it appeared to him that until it could be

be launched on the 10th inst. | jected before on the ground that the supply Since the above 40 more boats have arrived | did not seem to the House sufficient. There

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Monday, May 7. Council met at 2:30 p.m. Present—The Hon. Chief Justice, presiding; Colonial Secretary, Attorney General Treasurer, Sur-veyor General, Donald Fraser, H. Rhodes.

NANAIMO INCORPORATION BILL. NANATIO INCORPORATION BILL

Hon, Mr. Fraser, as chairman of the select
committee appointed to take evidence of the
charges of fraud, misrepresentation and intimidation brought against the opponents of
the bill, brought in a report finding the allegations not proven, and that a case had not
been made out for the incorporation.

The report, on motion of the Hon. Treasurer, was received and ordered to lie on the
table for future consideration. able for future consideration.

WAYS AND MEANS BILLS. The several bills on Ways and Means, sent up by the Assembly, came up for second reading.

REAL ESTATE REPEAL ACT.

The Hon, Surveyor General moved the The Hon. Colonial Secretary moved in The Hon. Colonial Secretary moved in amendment that the bill be read this day six months. He was unable to go into the matter so fully as if the supply bill was before the Council, or a financial policy more in detail had been submitted, but he would briefly state his reasons for moving the amendment. The real estate tax was one of the principal sources of revenue, and the principal security which the Government had to offer in the money market, and until something was submitted to replace it and the credit of the colony maintained as before, the bill certainly could never be allowed to pass the Council. He held in his hand the Estimates for the year 1866. The sum total of the es-Council. He held in his hand the Estimates for the year 1866. The sum total of the estimated expenditure was \$193,895; the estimated revenue for the year was \$206,376. Of that estimated revenue no less than \$50,000 was produced by real estate, or about one-fourth of the whole revenue. He had looked through all of the money bills, but could discover no substitute for the tax sought to be cover no substitute for the tax sought to be water in the city of Victoria and to lay pipes in the city and district.

Mr. McClure proposed that that portion of the clause granting an exclusive right to sell water be expunged. He was willing in order to encourage the Company to see an exclusive right to lay pipes granted, a privilege he thought sufficient to give them every guarantee which any company had a right to expect. To give the exclusive right to sell would be conferring a power that might result injuriously to the inhabitants, as there might be occasions of great drouth when the wells of the city, if water were allowed to be sold by any person, might afford considerable relief. abolished, except the extraordinary one of a tent of \$8000, leaving a difference of \$42,-000. Thus one-quarter of the revenue was wiped out and the security in part removed; he did not think it was necessary to go any farther. There was one other objection however to the bill even if the Council were disposed to pass it, which was that it was hawn contrary to the Governor's instructions. In those instructions the limits to which law could be made are distinctly which laws could be made are distinctly given and they could not be exceeded. It was therein stated that subjects that had no proper relation to each other could not be included in the same bill. This bill was en-

not averse to giving them the exclusive right to lay down pipes.

Dr. Dickson was in favor of giving the company exclusive powers—otherwise the people would have to pay a much higher figure for their water.

Dr. Ash was also in favor of granting the Company the powers asked. If the House did not grant proper inducements no men of capital would be willing to invest their money in bringing water to the city in sufficient quantity and in a proper manner.

Mr. DeCosmos said his objection to the bill was on the ground that nothing had been shown the House by the Water Company to consider in the first place if the colony and afford to dispense with the tax on real in the general principle it was his duty as a colonist having the interests of the colony at heart, and as a member of this Conneil, to consider in the first place if the colony could afford to dispense with the tax on real astate. The hon gentleman then went into financial statistics. The gross estimated revenue for 1866 including \$50,000 for the present year's real estate lax and arrears. present year's real estate tax and arrears was \$206,376. Deduct amount due by British Columbia, \$28,285, and the estimated would be \$178,091. Add to this new taxes proposed on lamber, \$5000 and hay \$3000 and the total was \$186,091. Gross income for 1806 based on existing taxation and on the two new taxes proposed on lumber and hay. Deduct from this taxes repealed by the Assembly (and it was necessary to refer to the other bills on the table) as estimated by the Assessary and Tresurger, say Real. Estate the Assessor and Treasurer, say Real Estate

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mention a grave circumstance. The Government was at present borrowing money at 1 per cent. per month to pay interest on the £40,000, which in mercantile circles would be regarded as an act of bankruptoy, and to talk of now going into the money market to borrow was simply folly.

The bill was thrown out without dissent. TRADES' LICENSE AMENDMENT ACT.

The Hon. Surveyor General moved the cond reading.
The Hon. Colonial moved a six months The Hon. Colonial moved a six months' hoist. After the statement made by the Hon. Treasurer he thought it doubly advisable. This bill repealed a tax imposed last year that bore justly on everybody. There was a small party who made a noise and were anxious for tariff. The trades' license was nothing less than a Custom's tariff, only collected after instead of before the goods were sold. The whole subject was considered last year and an additional \$5 imposed. It was now proposed to wipe out the \$5 imwas now proposed to wipe out the \$5 im-posed last year. This putting on and repeal-ing was playing with taxation and shaking public confidence. It would only do away

with \$2,375. The Hon. Mr. Rhodes thought the colony The Hon. Mr. Knodes thought the colony could not even afford to do away with \$2,300. It was a just tax of which no body complained, and such changing and shifting was objectionable; he had therefore much pleasure in seconding the amendment to them the bill out.

hrow the bill out, Hon. D. Fraser said, independent of the subject of free port or tariff that was agitat-ing the public mind, he knew of no other own on this coast, whether customs port or town on this coast, whether customs port or not, that did not possess such a tax.

The President mentioned as a proof that the tax fell upon the consumer and not on the individual; that the auctioneer charged his own commission and then the Government tax. The charge did not fall under this bill, but it was in pari materia, and formed a specific item.

The second reading of this bill was proposed by the Hon. Surveyor General.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary seconded, believing that the only provision contained in the bill was a good one, as it obviated the injustice of making a man who had a place of refreshment two and a half miles outside of the city limits pay the same license as an establishment doing business in the heart of stablishment doing business in the heart of

The bill passed without dissent! STOCK AND CARCASE AMENDMENT ACT

The Surveyor General moved the second sading of this bill. The Colonial Secretary moved that it b

The Colonial Secretary moved that it be read this day six menths. There was only one amendment to last year's bill, and that was to impose a tax of \$1 instead of \$4 per head on milet cows. He would like to know how the harbor master, who was also post master and had to attend to landing permits besides his various other duties, could possibly step out of his office and examine a herd of eathly a sea whether they were milet cows. of cattle to see whether they were milch cows or bullocks. In the first place, it was not stated what was a milch cow, and there was no machinery by which you could arrive at the knowledge of what was a milch cow. Hon. Attorney General—A cow giving ilk (laughter.)

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The Hon. D. Fraser seconded the amendacent, and the bill was thrown out without

SALARIES TAX. The same motion and amendment were

made.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary said be had heard no objection to this tax. It meta class of persons who paid no other texes. The returns were simple and the money was collected without expense, and he did not con-sider it advisable to abolish the tax. The amendment was carried, and the bill lost without dissent

ROAD AND PUBLIC LOAN ACT-£50,000. The same motion and amendment being

nade as before, The Hon. Colonial Secretary said that at noted at 10 per cent discount.

Hon. Mr. Fraser regretted that he felt compeiled to recond the amendment.

The bill was thrown out without dissent.

guaranteed it would be highly injurious to grant exclusive rights. The houses at present empthied by pipes only amounted to twenty-two.

Dr. Dickson acknowledged that during portion of every year the water was bad, but that was not the fault of the reservoirs of the company, but through the wast of lower drainings. Patrescent matter came from houses and penetrated the wooden pipes. It was to give the Company and opportunity to get iron pipes he advocated exclusive privileges.

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A petition was read from Messrs. Burnaby, Stronach, Watson, and others, calling atten-tion to the dilapidated state of the sidewalks at lots 1272, 549, 550, 554, and 556, Block 40, James Bay, and praying the Council to cause the same to be put in repair. Petition

A petition from John Gerritsen and others A petition from John Gerriten and others praying that a sidewalk be laid on the south side of Humboldt street was read and filed. The owners of the property alluded to were ordered to make the necessary repairs and lay down sidewalks in compliance with the City by-laws.

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This matter again came up for consideration, and after some discussion it was moved by Mr. Hebbard that the agents of Messrs. Joseph Brothers be notified that unless the outlerer be opened and repaired so as to leave the channel free and uninterrupted within ten' days, they shall be proceeded with under the ordinance on nuisances.

Mr. Lewis objected to the Council interforing with and becoming the arbitrators of private rights or grievances. The Council could not, he thought, honorably maintain a lawsuit.

wsuit. Mr. Gowen was of the same opinion, and

moved that the agents of Messrs. Joseph Brothers be requested to reply forthwith to the communication of the 21st March. The amendment resulted in a tie vote and the Mayor gave the casting vote in favor of the notification, as the Council had no funds to involve themselves in lawsuits.

STREETS AND GUTTERS. Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Gowen, moved that a committee be appointed to draft a patition to be signed by the citizens praying that His Excellency grant the services of the chain gung to cleanse the streets and guiter.

and gutters. The mover drew attention to the import The mover drew attention to the import-nace of the motion and pointed out as the Corporation were without funds that this was the only means by which the citizens who paid for the support of the chain gang could look for that highly necessary work to be performed. He did not see that there was any difference in employing the chain gang on this service to marching them twice a-da

through the streets.

Mr. Layzell approved of the motion.

Mr. Hibbard likened the perseverance or
Mr. Lewis to the widow in Scripture who importuned the unjust Judge until justice was
done to her, and he hoped Mr. Lewis would
be equally successful. [The Governor's last
communication was here read]. Mr. Hibbard
remarked that the health of the city was of
much more paramount incottened than obthrough the streets. much more paramount importance than ob-serving a morbid feeling of morality towards he chain gang. An attempt had been made

the chain gang. An attempt had been made before to raise a subscription for the purpose of cleansing the streets but had failed.

Mr. Lewis had never seen or heard of the petition alluded to by His Excellency as having been so numerously signed against employing the chain gang. He had been requested by many citizens to bring forward this motion. He for one never signed a petition. mr. Hibbard and Mr. Jeffery, senr., said

Lay had never signed it.

The motion was unanimously agreed to.

Mr. Lewis drew attention to two or three ecent cases of neglect of the city by-laws in ot keeping chimneys clean. The Fire De-partment had been called out in consequence partment had been called out in consequence and such eases might easily result in a fire, and perhaps the loss of a fireman's life. The Mayor made a few remarks, and the Fire Wardens were desired to attend to the

A CARD.

James Bay, Victoria, V. I., May 5th, 1866. To the Editor of the British Colonist,

Without wishing to take up your valuable space, I trust that you will allow me through your journal, to make a few remarks respecting the wreck of the Steamer "Labouchere" ting the wreck of the Steamer "Labouchere" more to justify my own conduct in the eye of the public both before and after the wreck in my position as Chief Officer of the above steamer, than to go through details already published. This I should not have deemed necessary to do through the Press, had I been allowed during the late judicial comirs, it refute at learth the present more ner less than a swamp, in which willows, alders and vegetable matter abound. He could by a couple of hours let the whole of the water out—a thing that might be done any day by a person who might have a gradge against the Company had stated they would not accept better to leave things as they were. The Company had stated they would not accept any material amendment in the first clause, and it appeared to h'm that until it could be clearly proved that proper supply could be seek through seek the same fate as the previous one.

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The same motion and amendment were made.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary said there were some good features in the bill, as an advalorem duty was charged instead of a debtedness due to the Bank \$51,476, there enquiry, to refute at length the personal attach which Captain Mouat made upon me

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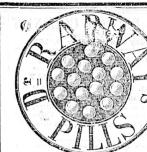
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